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LATE PARIS MODES

Skirts Are Shorter, Sleeves Both Short and Long.

Monkey Fur Trimming Used on Gowns and Wraps; Much Silk Braid Is Favored.

Fashions may come and fashions may go, but Paris keeps right on, thinking up new and more fascinating ones to take their places. At least so madame will think when she sees the new clothes the fashion makers have planned for her winter wearing. No, skirts are not going to be longer. Any woman can decide that for herself when she sees the new gowns. They were short, they grew shorter, and one might say that the new skirts for winter are shortest of all! Sleeves too, are as often short as long. Some are high above the elbow, some cover the wrist and come down over the hand—but then one expects Paris to go to extremes—and she does.

For the new gowns the foremost French dressmakers are using duvety, and the softest of crepes. One charming gown, a Lanvin, was of midnight blue duvety with cut-out designs of duvety on blue velvet trimming.

Monkey fur for trimming is another Paris idea. It made a striking bit of trimming on a smart new coat dress of white broadcloth, which had wide band of white stitching on filmy black net and a high collar and deep cuffs of black monkey fur. And this same for you will see used on other Paris gowns—gowns from the most famous houses. And there are other ideas of trimming. Much silk braid is used—the braid, of course, put on by hand, in the French fashion, and most effectively arranged. By most unusual of all was the trimming on a street dress, trimmed with shining steel "millieuds." It was certainly unique, and, queerly enough, was rather attractive.

Paris wraps, too, show originality and charm, and are sometimes as unusual as the gowns. Think of a wrap, for instance, lined with shadow lace! Yet that was the distinctive feature about one exquisite creation—a lovely panne velvet in soft pink, lined with frothy, creamy lace. By way of finish there was a fluffy collar and a band of snowy white fox.

You will see monkey fur on the new wraps, too—it was used on a perfectly beautiful black broadcloth velvet. This wrap was lined with robin's egg blue panne velvet, there were great ornaments and pendants at the armholes and a wide collar of monkey fur for a finishing touch.

FROCK OF HEAVY CREPE SILK



This is a frock especially designed from an old picture. It is a heavy crepe silk with colored wool embroidery.

Governor James M. Cox Will Erect Chapel at Wittenberg College in Memory of His Mother.



PRESIDENT EMERITUS HECKERT AND GOVERNOR JAMES M. COX.

Fulfilling a promise made to President Emeritus Heckert three years ago, Governor James M. Cox of Ohio last week announced that he is ready to erect a chapel at Wittenberg College, Springfield, O.

The gift is to be in memory of Governor Cox's mother and has been discussed by him with Dr. Heckert for some years.

Governor Cox is an honorary alumnus of Wittenberg College, having received the degree of LL.D. during the commencement of 1918.

Governor Cox in making this gift stated: "I have been in many parts of the country and I have taken occasion to inspect many chapel buildings, and it is my desire to erect a building on Wittenberg campus which will be fully in keeping with the merit of the institution."

It is the governor's wish that ivy vines be planted about the chapel and in the course of time the walls covered by ivy.

The building is to be of Gothic architecture, and to be erected of stone. Its seating capacity will probably be about 1,200 to 1,500. The building is to be used exclusively for religious services of Wittenberg College.

It is a strange contradiction in color, but the faster the reds get the world's outlook.

First President of the Newly-Created Ohio Lutheran Synod

The Rev. Paul W. Koller, D. D., Mansfield, Ohio, was chosen as the first president of the newly created Lutheran Synod of Ohio of the United Lutheran Church in America.

At a series of meetings held in Springfield, Nov. 4 and 5, the Lutheran Synod of Ohio was organized out of a merger of the Wittenberg, Mi-



REV. PAUL W. KOLLER, D. D.

ami, East Ohio Synods and the District Synod of Ohio.

Dr. Koller is a graduate of Pennsylvania College, Gettysburg, and of the Gettysburg Seminary.

He began his ministry in New York. Later on he was called to influential St. Luke's Church in Mansfield, Ohio.

Dr. Koller has been president of the Wittenberg Synod for several terms. He was chosen the first president of the newly created Ohio Synod as an expression of confidence in his leadership and vision.

lege. It will probably be located on the crest of one of the hills of Wittenberg's fine campus and will form one of the series of new buildings which are contemplated in the near future.

A chapel has been one of the great outstanding needs at Wittenberg College for some years back. The present chapel holds only two-thirds of the student body and is being used in addition to the devotional part for student meetings. The college authorities have felt for some time that the center of the devotional life of the college ought to be sacred and used only for devotional purposes.

Dr. R. E. Tulloss, newly elected president of Wittenberg College, in commenting upon the gift stated: "I am really overwhelmed by this magnificent gift of Governor Cox. This is the answer to a long-cherished wish. The fundamental necessity at Wittenberg College is a chapel which can fitly be the center of the religious life and activity of the school. We have not come to the point yet where we can leave Christ out of the center of education. I foresee for Wittenberg College a largely increased field of service and usefulness through Governor Cox's generosity."

Lutheran Women Pledge Support to Wittenberg College

The Lutheran women in Michigan, Ohio, Indiana and Kentucky have pledged their unstinted support to the expansion program of Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio.

The obligations and the interest of motherhood in training the minds and character of growing generations is the underlying reason for this pledge. Practically all the women organizations of the Lutheran churches in the territory mentioned have drawn up resolutions expressing their determination to back up this Lutheran school in the mid-western states.

The Slav is eating dog meat and making shoes of bark. No wonder he snarls.

In Poland the war slogan, "Fight or Work," has been revised to read "Fight and Work."

No matter how others regard it, Mars looks on the League of Nations as a scrap of paper.

Count the habit now as one of the greatest inventions that ever came from the hand of man.

Many a man could attain success in life if he would get up an hour before breakfast and hunt for it.

Blouses in Two Classes.

Blouses for the coming season are divided into two classes, as has been the case during the season just ending—tuck-in and over-the-skirt, with odds in favor of the latter for smart trade. Tuck-ins will be largely confined to tailored numbers for wear with tailored suits, and in the cheaper qualities where every inch of material counts in turning them out at a given figure. Over-the-skirt types come in medium, high class, and very exclusive models, for general and dressy purposes.—Women's Wear.

For Dinner Frocks: Chenille dotted net is used extensively for dinner frocks, in either black or brown.

Gifts for Baby



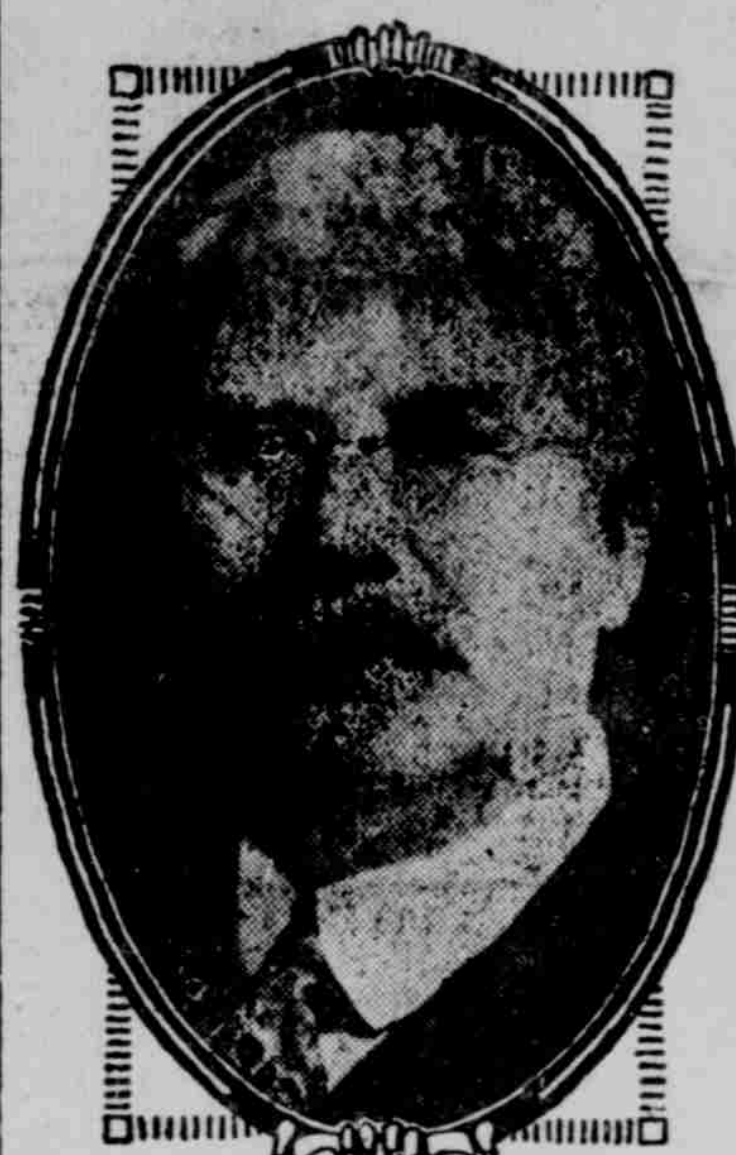
Christmas brings to the baby many dainty gifts. A pillow of wash silk and a little jacket of pink flannel are shown in the picture above, both of them glorified by trimming of narrow satin ribbon. A small oblong pillow of down is provided with a silk cover, having loops of ribbon set about the edge. A quilling of satin ribbon finishes the edges of the jacket.

McGilvray to Erect and Maintain Gym at Wittenberg College for Community Use

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. McGilvray of Springfield, Ohio, will erect a gymnasium, auditorium and institute building at Wittenberg College. The auditorium is to seat 3,000, and is to be used for college functions, community educational purposes and public gatherings.

In addition to the erection of the building Mr. and Mrs. McGilvray propose to endow it permanently so that its work may be a permanent function in the community at Wittenberg College.

Mr. McGilvray is president of the



C. F. M'GILVRAY.

Robbins & Myers Co. and was formerly mayor of Springfield, elected under the commission form of city government.

The proposed institute building, which will be known as the McGilvray Institute, is unique in American colleges and is the development of an underlying policy at Wittenberg College that is intended to make Wittenberg College not only an educational center, but a community center which will ramify out into the city of Springfield, and state of Ohio, in many different ways, affording opportunities for education to a large number of people beyond its immediate student enrollment.

The McGilvray gift to Wittenberg College comes as a climax to Dr. Heckert's career as president of Wittenberg College. Dr. Heckert was president of Wittenberg from 1902-1920, being obliged to lay down his office on account of failing health. He is now president emeritus, directing the Wittenberg appeal for a million and a half dollars in Ohio and Clark county, Wittenberg community.

Cheaper shoes are predicted for 1921, which is a long way off yet and many things may happen before the shoe slump arrives.

Maybe some are figuring that with what they save by wearing an old straw hat they may be able to buy a shovel of coal next fall.

France lost 57 per cent of its men under thirty-two years old, and still there is squabbling among others as to who it was won the war.

Chinese policemen preserved what is termed "an attitude of benevolent neutrality" when prominent Japanese were beaten up in Peking. Whatever may be the agitation, the oriental mind never lacks for picturesque courteous phraseology.

One of the candidates accuses another of using a "smoke screen." Other people thought it was a "gas wave."

With some, where to spend the vacation is the problem; others, however, have nothing to spend but time.

FOUR LUTHERAN SYNODS MERGED

Become Part of the New District Synod of Ohio.

ACT AFFECTS 55,000 MEMBERS

Three Hundred and Twenty-five Churches and 250 Pastors Also Involved in the Amalgamation, Which Brings With It a Greater Opportunity For Service and Effectiveness in Church Life.

At a series of meetings which it is believed will become historical within the Lutheran Church four Lutheran Synods of Ohio were merged into the new District Synod of Ohio on Nov. 3 and 4 at Springfield, Ohio.

The synods that lost their existence through this merging to become part of the large body were the Miami, Professor T. Bruce Birch, Wittenberg College, president; the Synod of Ohio, Rev. Shepherd, Defiance, president; the Lutheran Ohio Synod, Rev. H. C. Brilliant of Leetonia, president; the Wittenberg Synod, Rev. W. C. Laughbaum of Nevada, president.

The merging affects 55,000 confirmed members, 325 churches and 250 pastors.

The District Synod of Ohio is the oldest body, dating back to 1836.

The underlying reason for the merging of these synods has been the growing feeling that their work was overlapping and that a combination of effort would bring with it a greater opportunity service and far greater effectiveness in the various sides of the church life.

Solemn Ceremonies.

Solemn ceremonies marked the close of the history of these church groups. The closing meetings were held on Nov. 3 in the various Lutheran churches of Springfield, at which the legal steps were taken for winding up their affairs and the merging into a new body on Nov. 5. A special meeting was held with chosen speakers to present the history of the merging bodies. Dean D. H. Bauslin of Wittenberg College spoke for the East Ohio Synod, Dr. J. W. Kapp of Cincinnati for the Miami Synod, Dr. C. E. Ernstberger for the Wittenberg Synod and Dr. A. F. Siebert of Germantown for the District Synod of Ohio.

Rev. Paul W. Koller of Mansfield, Ohio, was chosen the first president. Dr. H. S. Herrold of Miami was chosen secretary. W. Ulrich, Cincinnati, was chosen statistical secretary. Rev. J. W. Kohler of Cincinnati was chosen treasurer.

The first great undertaking of the new body is to support wholeheartedly Wittenberg College in its expansion program. Wittenberg College is the school in the territory of the new Lutheran organization and the combination of forces has given great impetus to the movement to strengthen the educational facilities.

Light and Phone Screens



As screens for electric lamps or for telephones, beautiful, ladies from France, dressed in the crinoline styles of long ago, make useful as well as highly ornamental Christmas gifts. Their draperies of silk are supported by a wire frame. Imported heads of bisque are required for them.

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For Holiday Time



An unusually pretty breakfast cap is here offered as a suggestion for a gift. It is a spirited model made of taffeta silk and almost covered with crisp, plaited frills of taffeta ribbon. Such a cap requires a crinoline support and a lining of thin silk.

COST OF EDUCATION AT WITTENBERG

Poor Boy and Girl Have Equal Opportunity With Rich.

A striking analysis has been made in the campaign of Wittenberg College, Springfield, Ohio, to indicate what its costs a college to educate its students.

It appears from this graph that 66 per cent of the college education is given the student gratis, the college making up for the deficit. On that basis Wittenberg College has given its former students a total of two and a half million dollars.

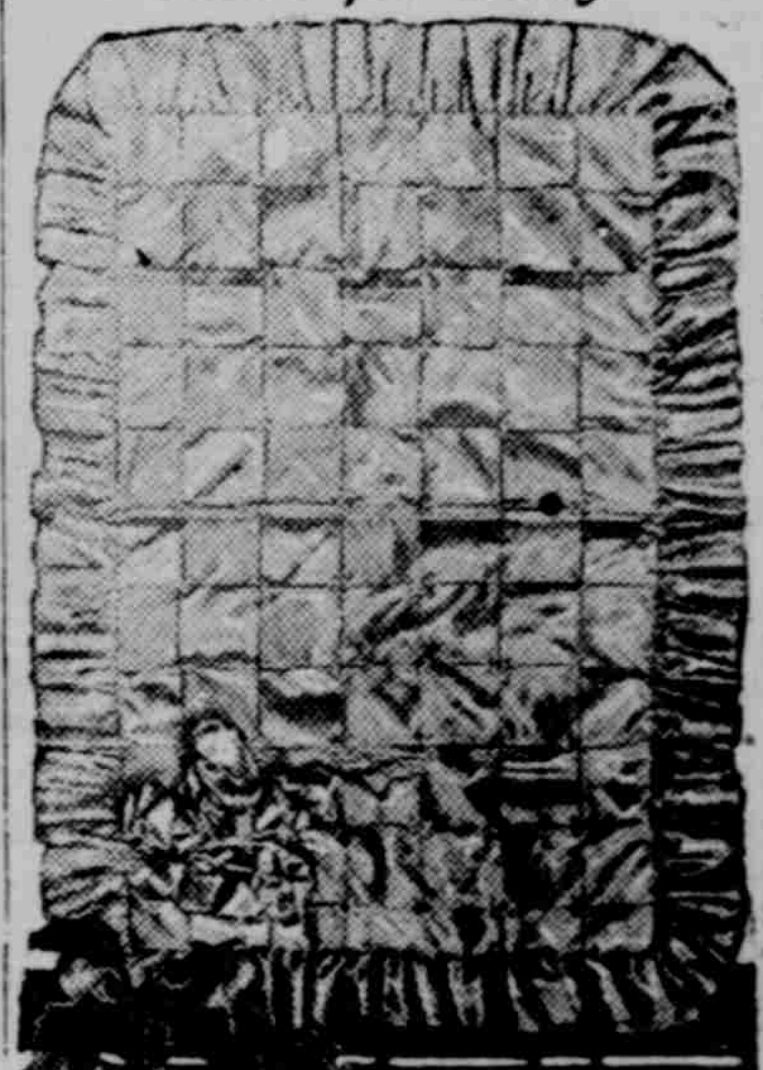
The reason why this is done is in order that the poor man's boy and girl may have an equal opportunity of education with the rich man's boy and girl. It is held to be the essence of democracy to afford the equality of opportunity in education. The hope, however, then is that when the former students have achieved their positions in life they will in turn contribute to the maintenance of their college by generous assistance.

A Wittenberg College education in 1847 cost just \$51.50 a year. This covered not only the tuition, it covered the whole cost of the student's life in the school.

In going over a mass of old records of the college Professor John Schneider of the department of English discovered an old account book which gives the student's expense at Wittenberg College seventy-three years ago. A student's budget was discovered as giving tuition \$17, washing \$3 and wood \$1.50, making a total of \$51.50.

According to the old record in those days this was a large amount of money and many students were obliged to work on the farms at odd moments to help pay their school expenses.

Robe for Baby



When his majesty, the baby, rides out in state after Christmas, he may find himself possessed of something splendid in the way of carriage robes, like the rich affair shown in the picture. Satin ribbon makes the robe,